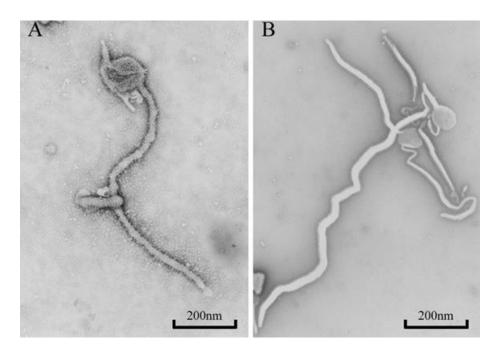
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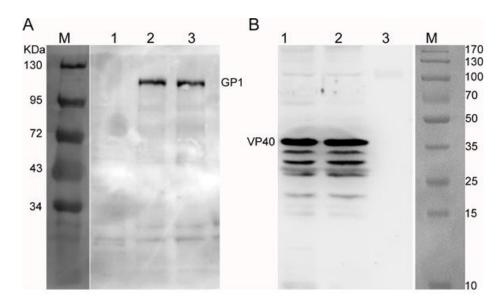
Treatment with hyperimmune equine immunoglobulin or immunoglobulin fragments completely protects rodents from Ebola virus infection

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Supplementary Figure 1. Electron microscopy of eVLP. Shown are electron micrographs of eVLP. (A) or (B) at \times 25,000. Particles, obtained by ultracentrifugation of the supernatants of Sf9 cells infected with rBV-VP40-GP, were negatively stained with uranyl acetate to reveal the ultrastructure.



Supplementary Figure 2. Western blot analysis of eVLP preparations. Sf9 cells were infected with rBV-GFP (control protein) or rBV-VP40-GP. The eVLP preparations were resuspended in PBS at the concentration of 5 μg of eVLP preparations or control protein were mixed with reducing protein sample buffer, heated at 95 °C for 5 min, and then subjected to SDS-PAGE followed by Western blot analysis using a polyclonal antibody anti-GP (A) or monoclonal antibodies anti-VP40 (B). A: Control protein (lane 1); eVLP (lane 2-3). B: eVLP (lane 1-2); Control protein (lane 3). Both the GP and VP40 protein bands were present in eVLP sample. Equal quantity of proteins was loaded into each lane.

Supplementary Table 1. Determination of half-life of purified equine antisera and F(ab')2 in guinea pigs

| Group | Guinea pig numbe r | Neutralization titer | | | | | | | | | | |
|------------------------------|-----------------------------|----------------------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|------|
| | | 0h | 1h | 4h | 8h | 12h | 24h | 48h | 72h | 96h | 120h | 144h |
| purifie d antiser a | 1 | - | 1:160 | 1:160 | 1:320 | 1:320 | 1:320 | 1:320 | 1:320 | 1:160 | 1:160 | 1:80 |
| | 2 | - | 1:80 | 1:80 | 1:160 | 1:160 | 1:160 | 1:160 | 1:160 | 1:80 | 1:80 | 1:40 |
| | 3 | - | 1:160 | 1:160 | 1:320 | 1:320 | 1:320 | 1:320 | 1:160 | 1:160 | 1:80 | 1:80 |
| | 4 | - | 1:160 | 1:160 | 1:160 | 1:160 | 1:160 | 1:160 | 1:80 | 1:80 | 1:80 | 1:40 |
| F(ab') ₂ | 1 | - | 1:160 | 1:320 | 1:320 | 1:160 | 1:80 | - | - | - | - | - |
| | 2 | - | 1:160 | 1:160 | 1:160 | 1:80 | 1:40 | - | - | - | - | - |
| | 3 | - | 1:160 | 1:160 | 1:160 | 1:80 | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| | 4 | - | 1:160 | 1:160 | 1:80 | 1:80 | 1:40 | - | - | - | - | - |

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